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Via Hand Delivery

Mary Cottrell Secretary Department of Public Utilities One South Station, 2nd Floor Boston, MA 02110

Re: MA DTE 01-34

Dear Ms. Cottrell:

I am writing on behalf of AT&T with respect to the Hearing Officer's request for comments on witness availability for the amended hearing dates of April 29, 2002 to May 1, 2002. AT&T's witness, Eileen Halloran, is generally available during the time period set for the hearings. Upon receipt of Verizon's and WorldCom's comments, AT&T will confirm Ms. Halloran's availability for the specific dates that Verizon's four witnesses and WorldCom's witness are available.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Katherine A. Davenport

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cc: Joan Foster Evans (by hand delivery) Service List (by electronic mail only)